

Art Unit: 1634

3. **The application has been amended as follows:**

a) Amend claim 9 as follows:

9. The method of claim 1, wherein the analysis is performed by contacting the biological sample with a primer pair comprising at least one pair of:

SEQ ID NO:2 and SEQ ID NO:3;

SEQ ID NO:4 and SEQ ID NO:5;

SEQ ID NO: 27 and SEQ ID NO: 28; and

SEQ ID NO: 29 and SEQ ID NO: 30.

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to document,

b) In claim ⁷~~17~~, at line 2, after "comprising analyzing a" **delete** "first".

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c) In the specification, at page 1, the last line of paragraph 1, after
"10/336,552, filed on January 3, 2003" insert-- , now U.S. Patent No. 7,611,870--.